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TO AMEMBASSY ACCRA

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, GH

SUBJECT: DEMONSTRATION AT GHANA EMBASSY

1. APPIAH OF GHANA EMBASSY REPORTS RECEIPT TELEGRAM FROM FOREIGN MINISTRY INQUIRING IF THERE WERE DEMONSTRATIONS AT GHANA EMBASSY CHANCERY AND RESIDENCE ON FEBRUARY 24 ANNIVERSARY OF NKRUMAH'S OVERTHROW. CABLE ASKED SPECIFICALLY IF GHANA SEALS AT BOTH LOCATIONS WERE TORN DOWN.

2. APPIAH SAYS HE RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALL FROM UNIDENTIFIED AMERICAN BLACK FEBRUARY 24 WARNING HIM THERE WOULD BE DEMONSTRATIONS. APPIAH SAID HE TOOK NO ACTION BUT BELIEVES SEALS AT CHANCERY AND RESIDENCE MAY HAVE BEEN TAKEN DOWN. APPIAH SAYS AMONOO REPLIED AMBIGUOUSLY TO ACCRA THAT TWO SEALS REMAIN IN PLACE.

3. APPIAH BADLY SHAKEN MARCH 20 WHEN TOLD BY KROBO EDUSEI THAT NRC HAS DECIDED WITHDRAW REQUEST FOR AGREEMENT OF QUARM DUE TO FEBRUARY 24 INCIDENT. APPIAH HAD BEEN JUBILANT IN RECENT DAYS AFTER HEARING OF HIS PROMOTION AND OF PROSPECTIVE TRANSFER OF AMONOO, WITH WHOM HIS RELATIONS REMAIN STRAINED.

4. DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED NO PREVIOUS REPORT OF ANY INCI-
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MENT REGARDING QUARM AGREEMENT REQUEST, WHICH WE CONTINUE
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